

THE OLD CATHEDRAL, Vincennes, Indiono St. Froncis Xovier Church wos founded in 1702. The present stotely old Cothedrol is the third church on this site and wosprojected in 1825, the corner stone being loid with eloborate ceremony in 1826. Its two predecessors for worship were built of logs, the first of which Indion converts a sisted in erecting. Thirty-nine postors have served this church during these mony yeors. Seven of these have ottoined high positions in the church, six as bishaps and one as an orchbishap. The four first bishaps of the diacese of Vincennes are buried in the crypt of the present church. The diacese is now known as "Indianopolis." The library contains some of the oldest books and rarest manuscripts in this section of the country.

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